

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q85964

Umberto MARAZZI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/522,893

Group Art Unit: 3754

Confirmation No.: 6717

Examiner: Stephanie E. TYLER

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For: A FLUID-DISPENSING CIRCUIT WITH CHECK VALVES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents

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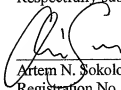
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 21, 2008 to January 21, 2009.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$620.00 (\$490.00 previously paid via EFS payment screen on December 22, 2008) and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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